# IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

# **CIVIL MOTION HEARING**

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IN RE: Bair Hugger Forced Air Warming Devices Product Liability Litigation	)	BEFORE: Joan N. Ericksen U.S. District Judge and Franklin L. Noel U.S. Magistrate Judge	
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	)	Case No:	0:15-md-02666-JNE-FLN
	)	Date:	12/21/17
	)	Deputy:	Catherine B. Cusack
	)	Court Reporter:	Maria V. Weinbeck
	)	Courthouse:	Minneapolis
	)	Courtroom:	12W
	)	Time in Court:	9:45 AM - 10:48 AM
	)	Time in Chambers:	10:49 AM - 11:13 AM
	)	Time in Court:	1 Hour & 27 Minutes
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STATUS CONFERENCE			

## **APPEARANCES:**

Plaintiff: Genevieve M. Zimmerman, Gabriel A. Assaad, Michael A. Sacchet, David W. Hodges,

Behram V. Parekh, Kyle W. Farrar

Defendant: Jerry W. Blackwell, Benjamin W. Hulse, Deborah E. Lewis, Bridget M. Ahmann,

Corey L. Gordon, Mary S. Young

Please see attached list of telephone participants.

## PROCEEDINGS:

- Status Conference held.
- Appearances made on the record.
- 1) The next status conference is scheduled for Thursday, January 18, 2018, 9:30 AM in Minneapolis Courtroom 12W.
- 2) The December 19, 2017 Judgment against Theodore Hecht, 17-cv-2395, Dkt. No. 8, is set aside. Defendants do not oppose.

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- 3) For *Houseman v. 3M Company et al.*, 17-cv-2615, the Court will decide Defendants' Motion to Dismiss, Dkt. No. 8, on the papers.
- 4) For Gareis v. 3M Company et al., 16-cv-4187:
  - a. Depositions of expert witnesses shall be completed by Tuesday, February 13, 2018;
  - b. Case specific dispositive motions shall be filed by Tuesday, February 20, 2018;
  - c. This matter shall be ready for trial on Monday, May 14, 2018, 9:30 AM in Minneapolis Courtroom 12W..

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